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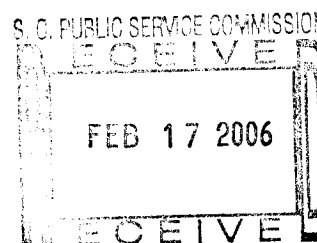
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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni
Chief Clerk/Administrator
South Carolina Public Service Commission
101 Executive Center Dr., Suite 100
Columbia, SC 29210



Re: Joint Application of Sprint Communications Company L.P. and Sprint
Long Distance, Incorporated for Transfer of Customer Base
Docket No. 2006-56-C

Dear Mr. Terreni:

WBC
Enclosed for filing please find the original and one (1) copy of the Notice of
Appearance of Counsel in the above referenced matter. Please date stamp the extra copy
enclosed and return it to me in the envelope provided.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Wendy B. Cartledge

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Enclosures

cc: Scott Elliott, Esquire
William R. Atkinson, Esquire

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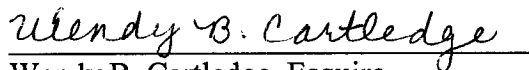
IN RE:

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Company L.P. and Sprint Long Distance,)
Incorporated for Transfer of Customer)
Base)

**NOTICE OF APPEARANCE
OF COUNSEL**

**TO: SCOTT ELLIOTT, ESQUIRE, COUNSEL FOR SPRINT LONG DISTANCE,
INCORPORATED AND WILLIAM R. ATKINSON, ESQUIRE, COUNSEL FOR SPRINT
COMMUNICATIONS COMPANY L.P.**

YOU WILL PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Wendy B. Cartledge gives notice of appearance as counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff in the above-captioned matter. Pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-4-10 as enacted by 2004 S.C. Acts 175, the Office of Regulatory Staff is a party of record in all filings, applications, and proceedings before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina. Any further information or correspondence filed with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina should also be served on the undersigned as counsel for the Office of Regulatory Staff.


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that I, Pamela McMullan, an employee with the Office of Regulatory Staff, have this date served one (1) copy of the **NOTICE OF APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL** in the above-referenced matter to the person(s) named below by causing said copy to be deposited in the United States Postal Service, first class postage prepaid and affixed thereto, and addressed as shown below:

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